

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY

ORDER OF NOTICE

D.T.E. 06-49 June 8, 2006

Investigation by the Department of Telecommunications and Energy on its own motion as to the propriety of the rates and charges by Blackstone Gas Company set forth in Tariffs M.D.T.E. Nos. 80B through 85B, filed with the Department on May 23, 2006, to become effective November 1, 2006.

Blackstone Gas Company is required to serve a copy of the attached Notice of Filing and Request for Comments on the service lists of <u>Blackstone Gas Company</u>, D.T.E. 04-79 (2004) and <u>Blackstone Gas Company</u>, D.T.E. 05-42 (2005), no later than Thursday, June 15, 2006 and also make return of service at the close of the comment period.

By Order of the Department,
/s/
Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary